



# Massachusetts Cranberries

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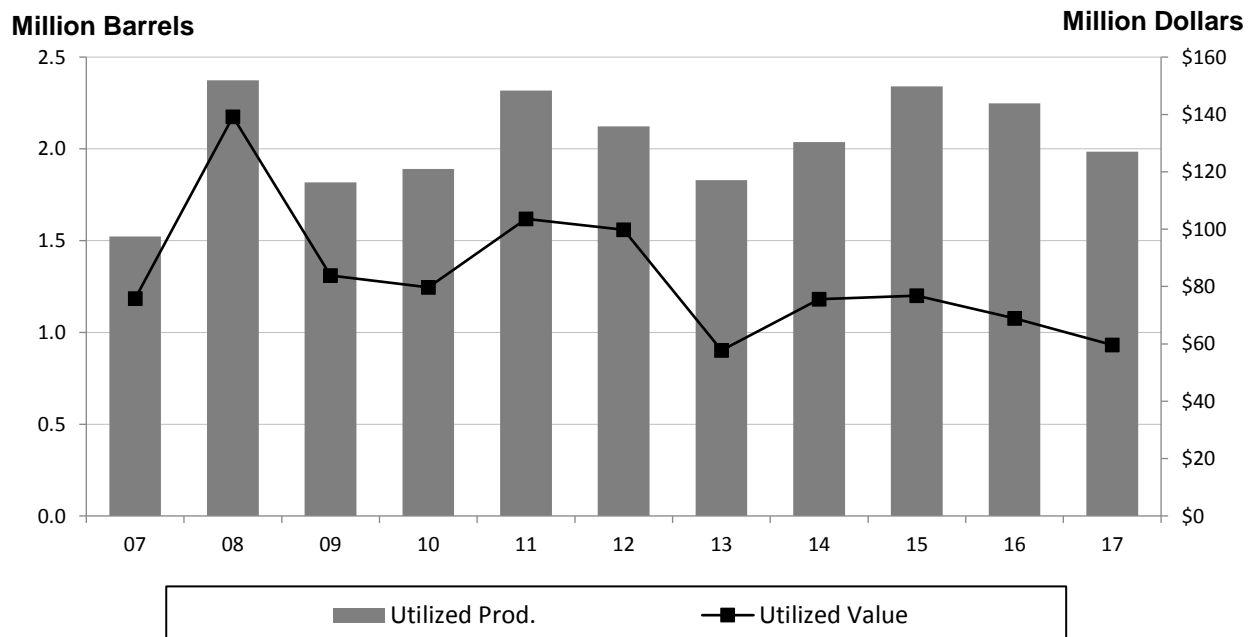
## 2017 Massachusetts Cranberry Crop Down 16 Percent from Previous Year

CONCORD, NH --- Massachusetts 2017 cranberry production totaled 1.911 million barrels in 2017, down 16 percent from 2016's production, according to Gary Keough, State Statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New England Field Office. Growers harvested 12,300 acres of cranberries, 600 acres less than the previous year. Yields averaged 154.0 barrels per acre, compared with 174.3 barrels per acre a year earlier.

The 2017 price for Massachusetts fresh cranberries averaged \$48.70 per barrel, down from \$44.50 in 2016. The 2017 price for processed cranberries averaged \$30.20 per barrel, up from \$29.40 in 2016.

Wisconsin continues to be the largest cranberry producing State with 5.345 million barrels in total utilized production. United States 2017 total cranberry utilized production is estimated at 8.321 million barrels, down 13 percent from 2016. Harvested acreage totaled 39,700, down 1,800 acres from the previous season. The average yield, at 209.6 barrels per acre, was down 9 percent from the previous year. The United States 2017 price for fresh cranberries averaged \$57.60 per barrel and processed cranberries averaged \$29.10 per barrel.

**Cranberries: Utilized Production and Value  
Massachusetts, 2007 – 2017**



# **Cranberry Area Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value – States and United States: 2015-2017**

[Net pounds per barrel: 100]

State	Area harvested			Yield per acre <sup>1</sup>		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)
Massachusetts .....	13,200	12,900	12,300	177.3	174.3	154.0
New Jersey .....	3,000	3,100	2,500	189.7	208.4	180.0
Oregon .....	2,900	2,800	2,800	191.4	140.7	173.0
Washington .....	1,600	1,600	1,500	123.8	109.4	98.4
Wisconsin .....	20,200	21,100	20,600	237.3	288.2	259.5
United States .....	40,900	41,500	39,700	206.7	230.0	209.6
State	Total production			Utilized production		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)
Massachusetts .....	2,352,000	2,268,000	1,911,400	2,340,000	2,248,000	1,894,400
New Jersey .....	595,000	653,000	451,200	569,000	646,000	449,900
Oregon .....	562,000	401,000	489,700	555,000	394,000	484,300
Washington .....	198,000	175,400	147,650	198,000	175,000	147,550
Wisconsin .....	4,856,000	6,130,000	5,372,000	4,793,000	6,081,000	5,345,000
United States .....	8,563,000	9,627,400	8,371,950	8,455,000	9,544,000	8,321,150
State	Price per barrel			Value of utilized production		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Massachusetts .....	32.80	30.70	31.50	76,783	68,911	59,652
New Jersey .....	37.70	43.10	36.60	21,445	27,835	16,451
Oregon .....	26.50	26.50	26.40	14,730	10,457	12,777
Washington .....	44.20	44.20	42.50	8,749	7,742	6,264
Wisconsin .....	29.20	29.20	29.20	140,146	177,347	156,141
United States .....	31.00	30.60	30.20	261,853	292,292	251,285

<sup>1</sup> Yield is based on utilized production.



# Cranberry Utilization, Price, and Value by Utilization – States and United States: 2015-2017

[Net pounds per barrel: 100]

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Utilization and State	Utilized production		
	2015	2016	2017
	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)
<b>Fresh</b>			
Massachusetts .....	186,000	182,000	131,900
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	5,000
Oregon .....	(D)	(D)	8,800
Washington .....	67,200	58,100	53,000
Wisconsin .....	185,000	202,000	134,000
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	12,000	18,000	-
United States .....	450,200	460,100	332,700
<b>Processed</b>			
Massachusetts .....	2,154,000	2,066,000	1,762,500
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	444,900
Oregon .....	(D)	(D)	475,500
Washington .....	130,800	116,900	94,550
Wisconsin .....	4,608,000	5,879,000	5,211,000
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	1,112,000	1,022,000	-
United States .....	8,004,800	9,083,900	7,988,450

Utilization and State	Price per barrel <sup>2</sup>			Value of production		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
<b>Fresh</b>						
Massachusetts .....	59.60	44.50	48.70	11,086	8,099	6,424
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	69.10	(D)	(D)	346
Oregon .....	(D)	(D)	101.00	(D)	(D)	889
Washington .....	60.50	56.80	53.60	4,066	3,300	2,841
Wisconsin .....	65.10	51.40	64.70	12,044	10,383	8,670
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	76.80	63.70	(X)	922	1,147	-
United States .....	62.50	49.80	57.60	28,118	22,929	19,170
<b>Processed</b>						
Massachusetts .....	30.50	29.40	30.20	65,697	60,812	53,228
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	36.20	(D)	(D)	16,105
Oregon .....	(D)	(D)	25.00	(D)	(D)	11,888
Washington .....	35.80	38.00	36.20	4,683	4,442	3,423
Wisconsin .....	27.80	28.40	28.30	128,102	166,964	147,471
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	31.70	36.30	(X)	35,253	37,145	-
United States .....	29.20	29.70	29.10	233,735	269,363	232,115

- Represents zero.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Includes data withheld above.

<sup>2</sup> Weighted average of co-op and independent sales. Co-op prices represent pool proceeds less returns for processing non-cranberry products, capital stock dividends, capital stock retains, and other retains.

## Cranberry Unutilized Production – States and United States: 2015-2017

[Net pounds per barrel: 100]

State	Harvested not sold		
	2015	2016	2017
	(barrels)	(barrels)	(barrels)
Massachusetts .....	12,000	20,000	17,000
New Jersey .....	26,000	7,000	1,300
Oregon .....	7,000	7,000	5,400
Washington .....	-	400	100
Wisconsin .....	63,000	49,000	27,000
United States .....	108,000	83,400	50,800

- Represents zero.

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